



FOREIGN BROADCAST INFORMATION SERVICE
HONG KONG BUREAU

MHK-0047
2 February 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, FBIS

THROUGH : Chief, Operations Group

SUBJECT : Hong Kong Bureau Monthly Report for January 1982

I. GENERAL

1. Chinese New Year--Hong Kong virtually came to a standstill for the Chinese New Year celebrations the last week of January. The Year of the Dog was welcomed with a spectacular fireworks display in the harbor. The consulate was closed 25-27 January and the bureau, while maintaining normal working hours, operated with skeletal staffing. Hong Kong papers observed the three-day holiday as did major businesses, with small shops remaining closed the entire week.

II. EDITORIAL/MONITORIAL

1. XINHUA/ZHONGGUO XINWEN SHE DISRUPTIONS--January saw the return of a variety of troublesome quirks in the bureau's XINHUA/ZHONGGUO XINWEN SHE circuit. The circuit was disrupted several times by faults which were eventually traced both to the Okifax machine and to local telephone lines. Some of these problems had been encountered when the system was first installed. For the most part, the local New China News office was co-operative during the outages, either rerunning items for us or holding the file for pickup the following day. The circuit is again operating smoothly.

2. Special Immigrant Status--Senior press monitor [] has been granted special immigrant status. [] plans to retire later in the year. The request for special immigrant status for press monitor [] was turned down by the State Department. The consulate has advised that there is no appeal against the decision.

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III. ADMINISTRATION

1. EOD--Radio monitor [] on 8 January.

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IV. VISITS

To the bureau:

1. Bangkok Bureau editor while on private travel
in Hong Kong.

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Chief, Hong Kong Bureau

Attachments:

A. Production Report

B. Equipment Received

cc: Orig. + 3 Hqs.

Chief, Okinawa Bureau

Chief, Seoul Bureau

HONG KONG BUREAU PRODUCTION REPORT FOR JANUARY 1982

I. TOTALS FROM ALL SOURCES:

TOTAL PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH:	528,440
TOTAL NON-PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH:	92,050
TOTAL NUMBER OF PUBLISHABLE ITEMS FILED DURING MONTH:	707

BROAD-CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI-CATIONS
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II. INPUT OF REGULAR COVERAGE:

(MINUTES OR ISSUES PER WEEK)

MIN.	MIN.	ISSUES
4,305	4,200	171

III. OUTPUT FROM ALL SOURCES:

(PUBLISHABLE WORDS PER MONTH)

CHINA

BEIJING DOMESTIC TELEVISION SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 400

BEIJING CITY SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 2,990

CHANGSHA HUNAN PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 7,800

CHENGDU SICHUAN PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 6,770

GUANGZHOU GUANGDONG PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 13,130

GUIYANG GUIZHOU PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 4,680

HAIKOU HAINAN ISLAND SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 3,020

KUNMING YUNNAN PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 9,360

LHASA XIZANG REGIONAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 5,920

NANNING GUANGXI REGIONAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 9,030

SHIJIAZHUANG HEBEI PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 12,420

TAIYUAN SHANXI PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 8,400

TIANJIN CITY SERVICE IN

MANDARIN 2,870

URUMQI XINJIANG REGIONAL SERVICE IN

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WUHAN HUBEI PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN
 MANDARIN 10,700
 XIAN SHAANXI PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN
 MANDARIN 15,280
 YINCHUAN NINGXIA REGIONAL SERVICE IN
 MANDARIN 2,600
 ZHENGZHOU HENAN PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN
 MANDARIN 7,470
 BEIJING XINHUA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING ZHONGGUO XINWEN SHE IN
 CHINESE 9,180
 BEIJING BAN YUE TAN IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING CHINA DAILY IN
 ENGLISH 6,980
 BEIJING GONGREN RIBAO IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING GUANGMING RIBAO IN
 CHINESE 12,500
 BEIJING HONGQI IN
 CHINESE 61,600
 BEIJING JINGJI GUANLI IN
 CHINESE 18,300
 BEIJING JINGJI YANJIU IN
 CHINESE 63,100
 BEIJING LIUWANG IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING LISHI YANJIU IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING RENMIN RIBAO IN
 CHINESE 103,250
 BEIJING RIBAO IN
 CHINESE 6,150
 BEIJING SHIJIE JINGJI IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING SHIJIE LISHI IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING SHIJIE ZHISHI IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING WANBAO IN
 CHINESE 0
 BEIJING WENXUE PINGLUN IN
 CHINESE 0

BEIJING WEN	Approved For Release 2008/04/01 : CIA-RDP86-00040R000100050010-9
CHINESE	9,200
BEIJING XIN SHI QI IN	
CHINESE	0
BEIJING XINWEN ZHANZHAN IN	
CHINESE	0
BEIJING ZHIXUE YANJIU IN	
CHINESE	0
BEIJING ZHONGGUO QINGNIAN IN	
CHINESE	0
ZHONGGUO QINGNIAN BAO IN	
CHINESE	2,900
CHENGDU SICHUAN RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	2,800
GUANGZHOU NANFANG RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
GUANGZHOU RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
GUANGZHOU YANGCHENG WANBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
HARBIN HEILONGJIANG RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
JINAN DAZHONG RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
KUNMING YUNNAN RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	500
SHANGHAI SHIJIE JINGJI DAQIBAO IN	
CHINESE	5,950
SHANGHAI WEN HUI BAO IN	
CHINESE	0
SHENYANG LIAONING RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	1,400
SHIJIAZHUANG HEBEI RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	14,600
TAIYUAN SHANXI RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	5,200
TIANJIN RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	0
WUHAN HUBEI RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	1,100
XIAN SHAANXI RIBAO IN	
CHINESE	3,300
HONG KONG	
HONG KONG CHANWANG IN	
CHINESE	0

HONG KONG CHENG MING IN

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2,200

HONG KONG CHISHIH NIENTAI IN

CHINESE 0

HONG KONG CHING PAO IN

CHINESE 0

HONG KONG FAR EASTERN ECONOMIC REVIEW IN

ENGLISH 4,100

HONG KONG HSIANG KANG SHIH PAO IN

CHINESE 750

HONG KONG HSIN WAN PAO IN

CHINESE 6,700

HONG KONG KUANG CHIAO CHING IN

CHINESE 4,000

HONG KONG MING PAO IN

CHINESE 6,450

HONG KONG MING PAO YUEHKAN IN

CHINESE 0

HONG KONG PAI HSING IN

CHINESE 2,000

HONG KONG SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST IN

ENGLISH 2,600

HONG KONG STANDARD IN

ENGLISH 550

HONG KONG TA KUNG PAO IN

CHINESE 12,900

HONG KONG TA KUNG PAO IN

ENGLISH 1,100

HONG KONG TA KUNG PAO WEEKLY SUPPLEMENT IN

ENGLISH 350

HONG KONG WEN WEI PO IN

CHINESE 15,000

PHILIPPINES

BAGUIO MOUNTAIN PROVINCE BROADCASTING CORPORATION IN

ENGLISH 470

MANILA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN

ENGLISH 4,150

MANILA FAR EAST BROADCASTING COMPANY IN

ENGLISH 5,030

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